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## New \$50,000 Garage And Service Station To Rise

—At Beacon And Fifth

Construction of a new \$50,000 garage and service station is to commence immediately in Sidney. Tom Flint, proprietor of Beacon Motors, told The Review this week that the plans are now completed and that the contract will be supervised by Lloyd G. Hillis, employing all local labor.

The new unit will be located on Beacon Ave. at Fifth St. It will include a building, of concrete, approximately 100 feet long by 30 feet wide, with provision for later expansion. The structure will provide for three bays, with through-access and two hoists. A salesroom and office will be included in addition to stockrooms and sanitary facilities.

Two pump units will be installed, one facing on Beacon Ave., beneath a canopy and one on Fifth St., without cover. The forecourt on both access streets will be black-topped.

### CONVERT TO STORES

The present premises of the garage will be converted to stores and three modern merchandizing units will be constructed. Other space in the present building will be used for storage purposes. The new station is expected to be in operation by June or July.

The property on which the new unit will be constructed was purchased by Mr. Flint several years ago and has only now been brought into use for purposes other than a parking lot.

## WATER AGAIN FOR FULFORD

The watermain at Fulford started to flow again on Thursday to the relief of the residents by the wharf.

They had been without a proper supply of water for three weeks. Supply was curtailed when heavy frost reached the watermain.

## Kind Hearted People

## AND GENEROUS TOO!

Proprietors of Sidney business houses in addition to ladies and gentlemen who are not in business at all, proved this week that they are not only kind hearted—but generous givers as well. Last week the Review-sponsored fund to provide some small financial assistance to a Sidney businessman who was obliged to pay heavily in order to determine this community's place in the tourist industry, stood at an even \$71. Today it has swelled to an encouraging \$166.

J. N. Gordon, proprietor of Sidney Trading Co., led off the fund's second week with a donation. He expressed himself as wholeheartedly in favor of the project. Soon afterwards a gentleman appeared at the newspaper office with his cheque. He is not in business—but was anxious to help the fund because the action against the Sidney merchant had irritated him. He preferred to remain nameless. Generous cheque from Cornish Library followed in rapid order. It is much appreciated. Miss Barth of Sidney sent along a pleasing donation with the following little note: "Here is a salute to the ideal of

helping our fellow citizen as well as to the citizen and wife who so well merit our pleasure. May they prosper and reap rich benefits from their efforts to help themselves and others. An admiring neighbor." Mitchell and Anderson, long established Sidney hardware firm whose business is not tied in with the tourist movement, contributed generously to the fund. So did P. S. Porter of Indian Craft Shop.

### NOT HALF WAY

The fund is not yet half way towards its objective. Further donations will be welcomed at The Review office and it is hoped that it will have reached the vicinity of the \$400 mark before the end of February.

Donations during the week have been received from the following:

Previously acknowledged	\$ 71
Sidney Trading Co.	10
Sympathetic	10
Cornish Library	25
Miss W. Barth	5
Mitchell & Anderson	20
Indian Craft Shop	25

This week's total.....\$166

## TO SEEK PUBLIC OPINION

## Hall Question To Be Threshed Out Tuesday

All organizations throughout Sidney and North Saanich are being urged to have three delegates in attendance at the annual meeting of Sidney and North Saanich Community Hall Association scheduled for the Sidney firehall on the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 26, at eight o'clock.

During the evening, progress made during the past year will be reviewed and definite plans of action laid for the year ahead. A full

slate of officers will be elected during the evening. President of the organization during the past two years has been G. P. Gilbert of Sidney.

The organization will be faced with an urgent problem. Members will discuss the future status of the community hall in the Sidney area.

An analysis of the picture, furnished by A. W. Murphy, secretary, shows relative costs of various projects. Two methods have been under consideration for the provision of a hall. The first sees establishment in Sidney, the latter, standing on the West Camp of Patricia Bay Airport and donated to the group by the department of national defence.

### CURRENT FUNDS

Present funds of the group amount to \$13,000. Cost of moving the airport hut and renovating it to the minimum standards whereby it may serve the community has been estimated at \$20,000. To move

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## Campaign Raises \$2400 In District

Mothers' March on Polio which was staged throughout the Saanich Peninsula during the week of February 11-16, realized a total of nearly \$2,400. In charge of the drive was Sidney Kinsmen Club, who devoted considerable time to this effort. Chairman of the campaign was Chuck Tyler. Mr. Tyler has expressed his appreciation of the response made by residents of the district.

"We would like to thank residents of Brentwood, Central Saanich, North Saanich, James Island and the village of Sidney for their generous response to the appeal," said Mr. Tyler.

## Slegg Is Named To Rotary Club at Annual Meeting

On Wednesday evening of last week Eric Slegg, Sidney hardware and lumber merchant was elected president of Sidney Rotary Club.

Mr. Slegg has been a prominent member of the club for many years and has taken a keen part in many of its activities.

The new president came to Sidney as a direct result of the Second World War. Upon his release from the Royal Canadian Navy, he headed westwards from his home province of Ontario. In 1948 he arrived in the community, without a firm resolve as to any future plans.

In Sidney Eric Slegg met another veteran, John Speedie, ex-R.C.A.F., who had also served with the R.A.F. unit at Patricia Bay. The two men decided to go into business together and Sterling Enterprises was born.

The early partnership handled only hardware and lumber was stocked in very limited quantities. About five years ago the two veterans dissolved partnership and Eric was joined by his brother, Maurice. The firm name was changed to Slegg Brothers and the



ERIC SLEGG

new business rapidly expanded.

Since his arrival in the business community of Sidney Eric Slegg has been recognized for his ready help in any community enterprise and an engaging manner which has benefited his own pursuits. The two brothers are now deep in the heart of service to the community. While Eric is a member of the Rotary directorate, Maurice is an executive member of the Sidney Kinsmen Club.

Eric resides in Sidney with his family in the home he built himself. It is a long way from the Ottawa Valley of his childhood.

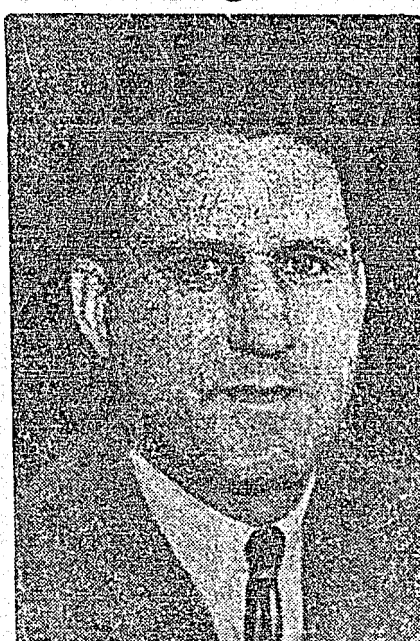
During his naval service Eric Slegg was in the stores division. He saw colder weather than he has experienced at any time in Sidney. At one time he was on the run to Marmansk. Probably the grimmest of all sea voyages during the war, it is not a matter for serious reflection today.

"It was cold," admits Eric, "and it was dark." Beyond that he doesn't speak. Later on in the war, the Rotary president was with the 10th Destroyer Flotilla in the English Channel on D-Day and the ensuing period.

Eric assumes his new duties later in the year, when the present incumbent, Harold Fox, will complete his term.

Serving with him on the executive are: secretary A. W. Sharp and treasurer, G. Montgomery. Directors elected last week are A. G. Rodgers, Jack Gordon, E. Holloway and Harold Dawson.

## Resigns



G. L. CHATTERTON

On Monday evening resignation of Trustee G. L. Chatterton was accepted by Saanich School District. Mr. Chatterton has relinquished his seat on the board in order to contest the by-election in Saanich municipality for a seat on Saanich council.

School trustee for the past five years, Mr. Chatterton has served as chairman and latterly as chairman of the by-laws committee. He has been responsible for a number of innovations in the presentation of a building by-law and has consistently taken a prominent part in all deliberations of the board.

Expressing his regret at the loss of the trustee, Chairman J. D. Helps noted that his resignation would be keenly felt.

"The people should be very thankful that you have been a trustee," he stated. "You have worked hard at all times and you have consistently kept this board on its toes."

## MANY ATTEND NOMINATION CONVENTION

Liberals from the northern part of the Esquimalt-Saanich federal constituency attended the party's nominating convention in Victoria on Tuesday evening in substantial numbers and enthusiastically endorsed the candidature of Alistair Fraser, former executive assistant to Hon. Jas. Sinclair, minister of fisheries. The candidate, who will open a law practice in Victoria, has promised to campaign aggressively from now until the election is held.

A 34-year-old bachelor and graduate of the University of B.C., the candidate is the son of the Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia. He concedes that his Conservative rival, Major-General G. R. Pearkes, V.C., is a "formidable opponent" but expressed confidence that the seat can be won back for the Liberal party.

Well known Saanich pioneer, Robt. Derrinberg, led a delegation from Central Saanich to the convention. North Saanich delegates included J. J. White, Mrs. Lorna McKenzie, Mrs. Todd, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Brethour, Mrs. E. L. Hammond, A. Waddell, A. Byford, Commissioner J. Bilgert, J. B. Cumming and Chas. Aldridge.

Mr. Cumming was elected as the constituency delegate to meet in Vancouver with representatives from other B.C. constituencies to frame party policies prior to the election.

## School Board Throws Out All Plans For Office in Sidney

—No Location Settled

Within 10 minutes of discussion on Monday evening trustees of Saanich School District rejected a motion approved last year, threw out the recommendations of the Capital Region Planning Board and settled down to a long and inconclusive discussion of the parochial advantages of various parts of the school district.

Following refusal of a motion by Trustee G. L. Chatterton that the board plan a new administrative building on the Sidney school property, Mrs. H. MacDonald, of Central Saanich, proposed that the motion approved last year by trustees, that the building be located in the Sidney area, be rescinded. She gained support from R. C. Derrinberg and Reginald Sinkinson. Opposed to the motion were Mr. Chatterton and Chairman J. D. Helps. Location of Sidney was selected last year by the Capital Region Planning Board, under direction of Brahm Weisman and adopted by trustees.

Mrs. MacDonald promptly moved that the school administration unit be erected at Brentwood. She gained no support. Sotto voce, she observed that the proposal had gained the approval of the Central Saanich Chamber of Commerce. "The Brentwood Chamber of Commerce," Mr. Derrinberg corrected her mildly.

The refutation of the decision reached last year, whereby the building would be placed in Sidney, followed extensive comparison of the relative values of the present site and the Sidney school property.

### RIDICULOUS

Mrs. MacDonald concluded the discussion with the comment, "I can see no point in putting the office in Sidney. We have lots of space all over the area, it is ridiculous to put it in Sidney."

"I cannot disagree with you," replied Mr. Chatterton, "but it is worth an effort to reach a conclusion. We have to get this settled, whether we put it in the south end, the middle or the north end."

Two trustees, G. F. Gilbert and H. A. Rowbottom were absent from the meeting.

Chairman Helps recapitulated on the aspects of placing the hall in Sidney and with the maintenance unit. He listed various advantages of following the firm recommendation.

Resolution proposed on Monday evening by Trustee G. L. Chatterton followed the recommendation of Secretary-Treasurer A. G. Blair in his written report that the office building and the maintenance shop be located together. The report which had been sought by the board, further stated that as the board had already chosen the site of the office building the general recommendation was open to closer examination. In view of the fact that many aspects were dependent upon the board policy which had not been established, the report concluded, these considerations could not be considered in the presentation of the report.

tion of the Capital Region Planning Board that Sidney be chosen as the most suitable area.

### CLASSROOMS FIRST

"It is hard to argue against the findings of the planning board when we have already committed ourselves to spending considerable sums on implementing the school recommendations of that same board," he concluded.

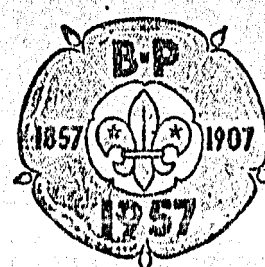
"I have always been opposed to the Weisman report," said Mr. Sinkinson, "and I have told him so."

"When the report was submitted I was the only objector," interposed Mr. Derrinberg.

"We are not yet committed to constructing an administration building," continued Mr. Sinkinson, "and until there are no classrooms needed in the district, I shall not favor a new building." (Continued on Page Five)

## Scouts and Guides Plan Parade For Anniversary

On Sunday services will be observed in two communities to mark the 100th anniversary of the birth of Lord Robert Baden-Powell, founder of the Boys' Scout movement.



At St. George's church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock following a church parade of Scouts, Cubs, Guides and Brownies, Ven. Archdeacon G. H. Holmes will take the service and he has invited all ex-members of the movement or former leaders to make an effort to attend.

In Sidney a service will take place at St. Andrew's church on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Roy Melville will be in charge of the service.

The Sidney church parade will assemble at Sidney Post Office at 10:30 a.m.

Brentwood Scouts, Cubs, and Brownies marked the anniversary last week at Brentwood United church.

This is Baden-Powell Week and is part of the celebrations taking place all over the democratic world this year. In addition to being the 100th anniversary of the birth of the founder, it is also the 50th anniversary this year of the founding of the movement.

### Departure

Departure from routine of approving minutes of previous meetings occurred on Monday evening when Trustee Reginald Sinkinson queried the minutes under discussion by Saanich School Board. He was mentioned as having moved a resolution, noted the trustee, but there was no mention of his presence in the summary. The minutes were changed accordingly.

## First Meeting



R. L. DESMOND

R. L. Desmond will preside at the annual meeting on Friday evening of West Saanich Credit Union. The meeting will mark the conclusion of the first year's operation. It will take place in the Mission Hall, Prospect Lake Road.

"In operation only one year, membership is steadily increasing and already several thousand dollars are out on loan," Mr. Desmond told The Review.

"It is felt that the present credit restrictions will greatly increase our membership and our available cash for loans at low interest rates. All are invited to hear a prominent guest speaker and learn of the advantages of membership in Credit Union," he concluded.

### WEATHER DATA

SAANICITON  
The following is the meteorological record for week ending Feb. 17, furnished by Dominion Experimental Station:

Maximum tem. (Feb. 17)	53.0
Minimum tem. (Feb. 11)	32.5
Minimum on the grass	25.0
Sunshine (hours)	21.4
Precipitation (inches)	Nil
1957 precipitation (inches)	4.62

### SIDNEY

Supplied by the Meteorological Division, Department of Transport, for the week ending Feb. 17:

Maximum tem. (Feb. 17)	54.7
Minimum tem. (Feb. 16)	27.4
Mean temperature	36.5
Precipitation (inches)	Trace
1957 precipitation (inches)	4.42

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## Saanich Member Calls For Aid To Villages

On Thursday of last week, speaking in the provincial legislature, Saanich M.L.A. J. D. Tisdalle spoke of the proposed new Municipal Act. He referred to the difficulty of villages being able to provide monies for administrative buildings.

He asked the minister of municipal affairs to consider giving villages the right to borrow monies for administrative buildings, possibly up to a period of five years, not to exceed more than three mills or such amount of mill rate that would not exceed a 20-mill rate. He continued by saying that he didn't believe the new Municipal Act would please everyone.

He appreciated the manner in which the department had carried on interviews and conferences with all interested groups, but doubted the advisability of the secrecy with which it was being cloaked, in the drafting of it.

He said that he had a deep aversion for government by surprise and hoped it wouldn't be similar to "Pander's Row" when elected it contained many stings.

### URGES LOYALTY

Speaking on municipal finances, he soundly admonished the government to challenge the loyalty of the British Columbia people for their province and its expansion by negotiating loans in Canada instead of U.S.A. for such projects as the Power Commission, P.G.E. and many others.

It was further stated that a great deal of discussion had taken place over a loss of revenue from any suggested export of power to the U.S.A., and added "Let's keep all revenue of interest at home too, where it will increase jobs and business."

He recommended that the three levels of government get together and negotiate a method of assisting municipalities in the financing of their administration and services.

Mr. Tisdalle, in congratulating the government on the choice of a new minister of agriculture, pointed out that the minister was a former producer in the field of agriculture and that the government owed it to the dairy producers to immediately implement the promise of a pro-



J. D. T. TISDALE, M.L.A.

ducer on the milk board, not by increasing the board to four, but rather by dismissing one of the existing members and replacing with a bona fide dairy producer. He contended this would bring

better public relations and settle one of the problems of the dairyman. He pointed out that the milk board dealt strictly with the producer, as far as pricing of their product, and that therefore the producers should be capable of handling their own product.

### BETTER IDENTIFICATION

Turning to the advertising program for commission of B.C. products, he recommended that better identification of B.C. produced eggs and meat be brought about by government regulation, so that the consumer would recognize whether it was a home-grown product.

Mr. Tisdalle recommended that the department of agriculture place a district agricultural place in Saanich because of the importance of the crops grown in this area. He pointed out that two-thirds of the potatoes grown on the island are produced in Saanich, practically all the small fruits grown on the island, and the biggest proportion of poultry and eggs are raised in this area, also all bulbs and cut flowers. He contended this would bring



# SIDNEY COMMISSION COMMENTS

(BY COMMISSIONER MRS. V. COWAN)

**CAPITAL REGION PLANNING BOARD**

The question raised at the last commission meeting as to "what benefits we gain" from our membership in the Capital Region Planning Board, was very satisfactorily answered by Donald Sparling at a special committee meeting held on Friday.

Mr. Sparling explained that with only seven voting members on the board, and Sidney one of these, we take our share in the development of the whole area. This area includes the Saanich Peninsula, Greater Victoria, Langford and Colwood areas out towards Goldstream, Esquimalt and its unorganized area out towards Sooke.

The duties of the board are laid down in instructions from the minister of municipalities and needs of all kinds for each district are studied. Recommendations are made on the advice of the whole board and include suggestions for roads, transportation, schools, public services, water supply, zoning, and any problems peculiar to any given area.

The salaries in question are paid to a permanent staff of planners with professional knowledge, as the whole basis of planning is done on paper, first.

The commissioners were unanimous in their agreement to retain membership on the board and thanked Mr. Sparling for his great interest and the work he has done as appointed representative for the village.

**GRRRR-R**

Dogs in the news again. The packs of dogs roaming the village at present are not only a nuisance but a hazard to very young children who happen to be nearby when the inevitable dog-fight takes place.

The commissioners are planning to obtain the services of a dog-

catcher and have unlicensed animals impounded.

**EARTHQUAKE?**

The road-block on Fifth St. while the sewer repairs were being carried out has brought the problem to the eyes of many who would ordinarily never have noticed it. Thirteen lengths of pipe have had to be replaced as a result of the trouble and the cost may total over \$1,500. The very large rock which was found to have smashed some of the pipe may have been partly suspended over an air-pocket and become dislodged during a minor earth tremor some weeks ago. A complete report is to be submitted by the Victoria contractor who has been in charge of repairs.

**SPRING AGAIN**

It seems quite likely that we have seen the last of the winter weather for this season and already some people are busy in their gardens, which makes the logical time to remind you that there is boulevard grass seed available (for free) at the village office. Five pounds per lot when your boulevard is prepared ready for seeding.

**FORMER SIDNEY MAN IS CALLED**

The late Sidney LeVack, who passed away at the Veterans' Hospital at the age of 68, on February 5, lived in Sidney for many years, and during his residence in the district was an employee of the Sidney Trading Store, managed at that time by G. A. Cochran.

He leaves his wife, Edith, at 3699 Savannah Ave., also three daughters, Mrs. W. A. Huggett, Mrs. R. H. Sumner, both of Victoria, and Mrs. D. Hopkins of Bury, Quebec.

Middle age is when you are still as young as ever, but it takes a lot more effort.

# BIBLE SOCIETY HEARS REPORT AT RALLY HERE

The British and Foreign Bible Society, which for the past 153 years has been circulating an average of 11,000 copies of the Scriptures daily, is indispensable to all churches in their missionary work, declared the society's provincial secretary, Rev. J. A. Raymond Tingley, Vancouver, speaking at a largely attended rally of the Sidney branch in the Foursquare Gospel Church.

The two great problems facing the society, said the secretary, are those of translating the Scriptures into more of the 1,500 languages in which none has been published, and doubling the world-wide circulation of the Scriptures to meet the unprecedented and ever increasing demand for them. These problems, he said, can be met only if people who enjoy the blessings which the Bible has brought, give far more generously to support the society's essential work.

Thanking the people of Sidney for their increasing support, Mr. Tingley stated that the society has set as a financial goal for this year in the province the raising of \$60,000.

The rally was conducted by Rev. Irene Smith, and re-elected Frank Lines as president and Mrs. C. H. Parnell as secretary - treasurer. Other members of the committee are Mrs. F. Madsen, Miss D. L. Williamson, Mrs. A. F. C. Watts, J. Milligan and N. Reid. All ministers are vice-presidents.

# SIDNEY MAN GOES TO NEW TORONTO POST

Louis D. Roberts, only son of the late Sam Roberts and Mrs. Roberts, Wildflower Place, Sidney, has been promoted to the position of project engineer of a new housing development in Toronto, Ontario.

He will be doing a supervising job on a 1,400-unit housing scheme in North York, part of fast growing Toronto. The new development is to become a subsidized rental housing scheme with the backing of the federal, provincial and city governments.

Mr. Roberts was born in Sidney and attended Sidney school, later graduating from North Saanich high school. He enrolled at the University of British Columbia, but left his classes and enlisted voluntarily in the Canadian army and went overseas. At the cessation of hostilities, he returned to his studies at U.B.C., where he received his B.Sc. in civil engineering.

After graduation, he joined C.H. M.C. and held positions in Vancouver, Rocky Point, Vancouver Island and Prince Rupert.

He started his associations with the Klitmat project, three years ago, and moved into the territory in October, 1954, as manager.

During his three years in Klitmat he has been a popular community worker and a member of the Kinsmen Club.

Mr. Roberts left Klitmat for the east on February 1. His wife, Shirley, and son David, will follow shortly to take up residence.

# HARPIST TO BE FEATURED BY CHORAL GROUP

As reported in this column last week the North Saanich Musical Society is looking forward to presenting an especially talented March 2.

Miss Lorna Langley, solo harpist, well known in Victoria music

# THUNDERBIRD BOWLING

February 15, 1957

Ladies' high singles, 256, Lil Farrell; ladies' high gross, 633, Muriel Buttrick.

Men's high singles, 269, Bud Nunn; men's high gross, 677, Bud Nunn.

High team score of 2872 was made by Team No. 4, captained by Dave Johnston.

Next bowling night is March 1. Regular weekly bowling will take place thereafter, to the end of the season.

# MRS. McNEILL HEADS LEGION LADIES HERE

Mrs. Vera McNeill was unanimously elected president at the recent annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to Branch No. 37, Canadian Legion.

The following officers were installed by Mrs. F. Chappuis: first vice-president, Mrs. Rita Morris; second vice-president, Mrs. Dorothy Pearson; secretary, Mrs. Jessie Stewart; treasurer, Mrs. Dorette Pope; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Zulma Bradley; standard bearer, Mrs. Mary Pitcher; executive council, Mrs. Irene Elliott and Mrs. Vivian Cowan.

The well-attended meeting saw Mrs. Caneda Herrington, retiring president, receive her past president's pin at the hands of her successor, and a large framed picture of the Queen donated by Mrs. M. Schop.

Plans were begun for a spring tea and bazaar to be held on April 15, and for the Zone Council meeting when delegates from the lower Vancouver Island Auxiliaries will meet at Mills Road Hall.

artist at their local concert on circles, has appeared only once before in Sidney. She was enthusiastically received on that occasion and we feel a musical treat is in store for the audience at this coming event.

Another item to be performed for the first time in Sidney is to be presented by the choir, namely, Mendelssohn's Festgassang, a short cantata with violin and piano accompaniment. One of the numbers carries the original melody of the well-loved "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," but we shall not be singing a belated carol, rather performing the piece as written by Mendelssohn.

The whole cantata was inspired and composed to mark the anniversary of the birth or invention of printing by Gutenberg about the year, 1400.

As the first complete book printed from type was the Latin Bible, it is not surprising that the words set to the cantata by W. Bartholomew are religious in character, although, of course, in English.

These are but two highlights in a musical evening which promises to be full of varied interest. The date, again, March 2; the place, St. Andrew's Hall, Sidney, at 8 p.m. —K.G.

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# IN AND AROUND TOWN

MRS. W. J. WAKEFIELD. PHONE 320X

Mrs. H. J. Readings returned on Wednesday to her home on East Saanich Road, after being hospitalized.

A. G. Yardley, of Vancouver, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Charlesworth, Dencross Terrace.

Mrs. Frank Stenton will entertain the Rotary Ann on Thursday, Feb. 21, at her home on Beaufort Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Goodman, of Victoria, have had their property on Dencross Terrace cleared and hope to start building shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Richards, of Duncan, were guests during the week-end of the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richards, Patricia Bay Highway.

Mrs. P. Morris, Shoreacre Road, returned home from Rest Haven Hospital with a new baby daughter. Mr. Morris is on the staff of Sidney branch of Bank of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Griffin, Honeycomb Bay, were visitors during the week-end at the home of Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Randerson, 703 Orchard Ave.

Mrs. C. Cuningham has returned to her home on Third St., after being a patient at Rest Haven Hospital.

Dona Simpson arrived Thursday from Victoria to spend a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Segalera, Third St. She returned home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson, on Sunday.

Mrs. T. B. Foreman, East Saanich Road; Mrs. J. McLellan, Beacon Ave.; Mrs. Dan Butler, Dencross Terrace; Mrs. I. Livesey, Dencross Terrace; Mrs. Jack Crossley, East Saanich Road, and Mrs. R. Adamson, Moxon Terrace, will be among those entertaining at bridge and socials during Baden-Powell Week, February 18-23.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Butler, Dencross Terrace, entertained on Sunday at a dinner party in honor of their son, Kerry Butler, who celebrated his 13th birthday. Invited guests were Dick Turley, Paul Crossley, Michael and Phil Adamson, Jom Ross, Dick McNichol, Richard Sansbury, Jean Ross and Penny Butler.

Georgina Seebach, Third St., is a patient at Rest Haven Hospital.

Mrs. F. Collins returned Thursday to her home on Third St., after undergoing treatment at Rest Haven Hospital.

Mrs. E. Sword and her daughter, Mrs. F. Pritchard, of Port Alberni, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. C. Ryan, Deep Cove. They are also guests of Mrs. Sword's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. Segalera, Third St.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ackney of Castlegar, B.C., were week-end guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. A. O. Berry, Fourth St. (Continued on Page Ten)

# DEATH CLAIMS M. CHEESEMAN AT REST HAVEN

There passed away at Rest Haven Hospital, Sidney, on February 14, 1957, Maurice Cheeseman, of Noble Road, Saanich, in his 70th year.

A resident of Noble Road for 16 years and formerly of Vancouver, Mr. Cheeseman was born in Surrey, England. He was a professional gardener and was with Capt. Massey Gooden in Vancouver and Saanich for 37 years.

He leaves his widow, Mary, at Noble Road; one daughter (Eileen), Mrs. P. H. Farrar, Vancouver; one brother and a sister in Australia; two grandsons, Bryon and Roger.

Funeral services were held in Sands' Chapel, Sidney, on Monday, Feb. 18, with Rev. Dr. E. H. Lee officiating.

Mrs. Vera Theaker was soloist. Cremation followed at Royal Oak.

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Over 200 C.C.F. members and supporters sat down to a supper in honor of the C.C.F. M.L.A.'s in the Douglas C.C.F. Hall on Friday night. William Rowles, pioneer Saskatchewan farmer and long-time member of the C.C.F., repeated the Woodsworth grace. Despite his 94 years, his voice rose strong and clear: "What we desire for ourselves we wish for all."

After the turkey and lemon pie had disappeared, a rollicking community sing-song prepared the way for the introduction of the M.L.A.'s.

Chairman Frank Snowsall said: "I'm proud to present to you this few, this happy, happy few, who, as we sang a short time ago, 'Stand on guard, O Canada, for thee.' In these days when both federally and provincially our resources are being given away into the hands of corporations with no responsibility to the people, these few men and one woman, stand in the breach."

Each M.L.A. spoke briefly on the work in the legislature and stressed the importance of the work of the Opposition in presenting the criticism of Socred policy.

Mrs. Lois Haggen brought greetings from her husband, Rupert, at present in the Gorge Road hospital. The meeting gave a spontaneous ovation to Rupert Haggen for his

splendid service to the C.C.F. and to B.C. Arthur Turner paid tribute to Ernest Winch for his life of service to humanity and the cause of Socialism: "I do not speak with sorrow of the passing of our old friend, he died as he would have wished, in action. His desk was loaded with plans for the further betterment of the old, the ill, and the mentally sick to whom his life work was devoted. It is for us who loved him to carry on and do our bit to complete his task." The meeting rose and in tribute to Ernest Winch kept one minute silence.

R. M. Strachan paid tribute to former leaders of the C.C.F.

"I am proud," said Mr. Strachan, "to attempt to follow in the steps of these men, with your help and encouragement and support we will yet elect a government which will lay the foundation of the world of human brotherhood which they, and we all, envision."

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## CENTRAL SAANICH ANNUAL VALENTINE PARTY AT BRENTWOOD IS BIG SUCCESS

### BRENTWOOD

Mrs. MacFarlane presided at the monthly meeting of the Women's Institute, held last Tuesday afternoon at the hall, opening with the Institute Ode. There was a large attendance of members. Reports of the various committees were given. Plans were made for the annual "friendship" tea to be held on Tuesday, Feb. 26, at the W.I. Hall. Members will bring their friends, and newcomers to the district will be heartily welcomed. Plans were also made to hold an all-day Institute workshop project at the hall on March 12, starting at 9 a.m. Luncheon will be served and members from five other institutes will attend. Final arrangements were made for the Valentine party. Mrs. V. Wood and Mrs. J. T. Gibson were the hostesses and served tea after the business session.

The United Church was filled to capacity on Sunday morning when a church parade was held by the Boy Scouts, Cubs, Girl Guides and Brownies with their district officers and leaders to honor the birthday of the founder of the movement. Dr. A. K. McMinn dedicated the service to the memory of Lord Robert Baden-Powell, whose birthday was in February and died at the age of 88, in 1941. Taking part in the service were Miss Charlotte Ann Baade, who read the responsive reading of the Psalm, and Douglas Greenwood, who read the Scripture lesson. The choir sang the anthem, "Come Unto Me". Mrs. R. Ronson was at the organ.

The monthly meeting of the W.A. to the United Church is being held in the Sunday school room on Thursday, Feb. 21, at 2 p.m.

Plans were made recently by the W.I. to sponsor a Wurlitzer organ recital featuring Reginald Stone, well known Victoria concert player. Travel films will also be shown. Proceeds are for the hall maintenance. The date is Friday, March 1, at 7:30 p.m. in the W.I. Hall, West Saanich Road.

The pre-midnet team downed Cordova Bay in a very close and exciting basketball game on Friday evening at the community hall, with resulting score of 10-6. Brentwood bantam girls did not get off to a very good start in their first of a two-game series, losing out, 34-16, leaving Sooke with an 18-point lead for the second game. Brentwood senior men defeated Sooke, 56-44, but lost out by five points on the two-game total-point series. Games for Friday evening, Feb. 22, are: pre-midnet girls vs. Sooke at 7:30, first of a two-game total-point series. At 8:30 midnet girls vs. Sooke in the first game of total-point series. At 9:30 senior men Arrows vs. Sooke in the second game of a two-game total-point series.

### Valentine Party

The Junior Young People of Sluggitt Memorial Baptist Church, had a Valentine party on Friday, Feb. 15.

After games and films, refreshments were served. Sixteen were present, including Pastor Wescott, Charlotte Ann Baade and Sandra Nimmo, the sponsors of this group.

This is still a young group but it is growing. The attendance of the second meeting doubled that of the first, showing that growth is possible.

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Many and varied were the costumes worn by the children, which showed great ingenuity and thought on the part of the parents.

The judges, Mrs. M. McMinn, Mrs. T. D'Arcy Bale and Mrs. G. Harrington, had a hard task choosing winners in the different classes.

The program of dances, songs, and musical numbers, performed by the pupils of Tuartip Indian school, Keating and Brentwood elementary schools, and judged by W. I. Grafton and A. Aldridge, gave great credit to their teachers, and these young people were highly commended on their individual talents.

At the close of a very happy evening, refreshments were served.

### WINNERS

Prize winners were: age six and under, girls, 1, Jeannie Clemet; 2, Shannon Wood; 3, Barbara Johnson; boys, 1, Chris McMudroch; 2, Jerry Mounce; 3, Kenny and Lornie Hughes.

Age six and seven: girls, 1, Donna McCaskill; 2, Jeannie Littlewood; 3, Ann Covell; boys, 1, Shawn O'Hara; 2, Dennis Mounce.

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### Baptist Church Group Meeting

Young people from Regular Baptist churches on lower Vancouver Island, met in Victoria at the Douglas St. Roller Rink on Wednesday, Feb. 13. This was another of the many rallies sponsored by the Island Young People's Fellowship.

An executive meeting, planning this rally, was held on Thursday, Feb. 7, in the Brentwood Church. Approximately 140 people were present of which total, 32 were from Brentwood. After skating for two and one-half hours, Dr. L. Wilson gave a short interesting talk.

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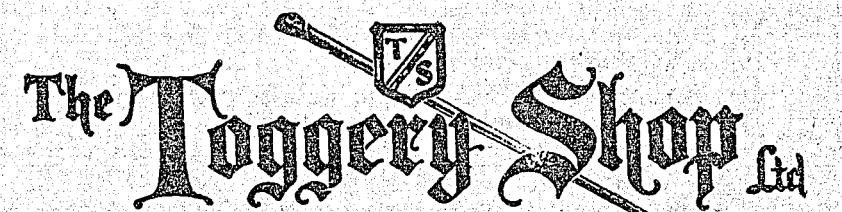
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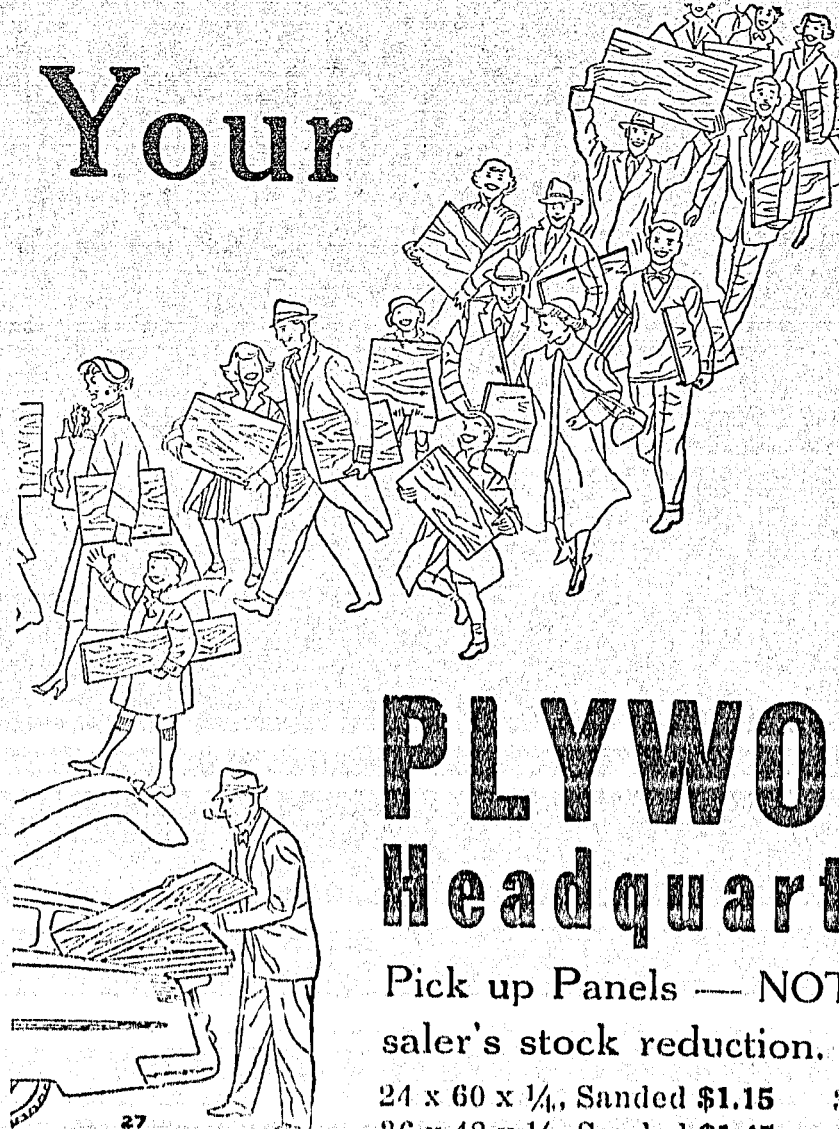
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**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR** (Continued from Page Four)

**HE STAYED HERE**  
Editor, Review,  
Sir:

Arriving in Sidney at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 13, I had planned to leave not later than Friday noon. I am still here and if I were asked "Why?" I could not quickly answer. It could be because of the smokeless, sootless, clean, tangy sea air; the smiles of healthy, happy friendly children; the clean shops with courteous owners and clerks; the cleanliness and charm of the compact Sidney Hotel and the picture of sea, islands and distant mountains framed by the window of my looking-east room; the excellence of its lunch counter and dining room cuisine and the "ich dien" (I serve) attitude of chefs Dorothy, Mabel and assistant Viola, of Cinderella Boush Anne, of efficient Carney, of attractive Patricia, of burning-up-the-highway-at-30 Irene, of Dianne and Carol.

For the first time in many years I have enjoyed meals of home-cooked flavor and thoughtful attention. It could be that the comfort of the hotel — with experienced Manager Ted Bailey — is the main reason for overstaying my plans; with the perfect weather a great assist.

It could be that a genuine praiser can also be a useful critic. As noted above, the view, from my window is of sea, islands and distant mountains. Turn slightly to the left and you see a disgraceful appendage to a good building and the shambles of signs, rubbish, year-old circus signs which would not be allowed in "Dog Patch". In the same direction swings the Rotary sign, "Here Wednesdays."

This reminds me of the story of the wooden Indian. It may have happened in Victoria which, until a few years ago, was known as "Zornbieland" — the home of the living dead. Day after day, this Indian was taken out of the store in the morning and carried back at night. This had been going on for uncounted years. A visitor, with a sense of humor made a deal with the store owner whereby, at various times during the day, he would substitute for the Indian dummy. This went on for two or three days and one day, as two delightful Victorian women walked by the dummy (as they had done for years) the dummy came to life with a warwhoop, the two old gals fainted and there was more excitement in the block than there had ever been. Perhaps the "five wise men" who settle, to their satisfaction, the turmoils and tragedies and future of this hectic world can do something about the atrocity! Perhaps the fire department can condemn it as a Fire Hazard (or perhaps lumber does not burn in Sidney)! Perhaps the health department can condemn it as a menace to health! Perhaps the police department can condemn it as a good hide-out for bandits! Perhaps something can be done and quickly to remove the eyesore which sticks out like a sore thumb in what might be called the harbor of Sidney.

F. E. SMITH, (of Vancouver).

**EXPLAINS SITUATION**  
Editor, Review,  
Sir:

It is unfortunate that the report you printed on the recent meeting between Mr. Gagliardi, Mr. Westwood and a group of Islanders was partly inaccurate and rather incomplete.

To do Mr. Gagliardi credit he certainly did not say, much less make it clear, that the economy of the Gulf Islands is tied tightly to Vancouver Island. He did say that a direct mainland connection was

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**UP ON THE WAYS**

**Mainly of Marine and Mariners**  
By Deckhand

Greetings from Canoe Cove! Kinder temperatures brought out yachtsmen by the score — they tore off canvas coverings, produced batteries, pressed buttons or yanked a crank and headed for the nearest island.

Norman Hill's granddaughters, Carolyn and Pamela were out for their first trip on Latoma since their return from England two weeks ago. Carol landed an eight-pound spring, which she duly scaled and cleaned and now she and Pam are raring to break grandfather's record of 70 salmon last season. Len McKenzie hooked an eight-pounder off Sidney Spit and George Knight brought in two salmon.

The E. H. Henshalls were out for their first spring spin, also Ken Oliver and his boys and the Arthur Bakers. The Rowbothams were speaking highly of Telet's new berth under the floating shed and Courtney Haddock and Vic Griffin were listening with delight to El Clare's tuned up engine.

A rustle of excitement among the boats when it was heard that Jim Genge has bought a 45-foot Danish Motor Sailor (with Gen. Motors Diesel) which he and Tom Denny will bring up from San Francisco in the near future.

**TRANSATLANTIC**  
Oliver Mothersill's 25.6-foot Seabird Yawl Barnacle (soon to be rechristened Doradach) was sold a short time ago to Donald H. Campbell. His son-in-law, W. McLaughlin, was working on her over the week-end and mentioned that the original model sailed across the Atlantic and eventually reached Rome. The Campbells and McLaughlins are not harboring such ambitious ideas but they are looking forward to a good tryout in a stiff breeze.

Ernie Atkinson was on the ways having a new bearing fitted in Osprey. Col. Aubrey Kent had Osprey's water cooling pipes renewed and Anthony D'Arcy gave his cruiser, Lady Hillary, an early brush-up. One of James Fullerton's charter boats, an 18-foot Belbo, was also up for a re-fit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cox have moved into their new home at Elk Lake, but have not left us entirely, as Tide II is still moored here.

The women's auxiliary of the Capital City Yacht Club is holding its first luncheon of the season this

**Guide Notes**  
This week is Thinking Week for All Guides and Brownies all over the world. The week when we remember our founder, Lord Baden-Powell, who was born 100 years ago on the 22nd of this month.

Our Sidney Brownies held their Thinking Day ceremony on Tuesday afternoon when they had as guests Commissioner Mrs. Gilbert, Guide Captain Mrs. Junning, and about 20 mothers as well as small brothers and sisters.

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**MORE ABOUT SCHOOL OFFICE** (Continued From Page One)

"This question will go on for ever," said Mr. Chatterton. "Can we not all agree? As long as we have the two together and sufficient ground it does not make a lot of difference. We won't go too far wrong if we decide to locate it on Sidney school property."

Following the rescheduling of the previous motion, Mr. Slinkin moved that the unit be constructed on at least a half-acre of property. He specified no time limit for the construction. He gained no second.

Mrs. MacDonald moved a final recommendation that the board investigate sites in "the central area". This was approved and the matter was left at that point.

Swansong of George Chatterton, who has tendered his resignation, had died in his throat.

**Notice To Creditors**  
**ARTHUR HENRY GRIFFITHS**, formerly of 1701 Third Street, Sidney, Vancouver Island, B.C., deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send them to the undersigned Executor at 590 West Pender Street, Vancouver 2, B.C., before the 15th day of March, 1957, after which date the Executor will distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which it then has notice.

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By: Messrs. O'Brian and Anderson, Its Solicitors. 7-4

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## ENTERTAIN TWO DOCTORS AT GANGES SOCIAL GATHERING

Dr. and Mrs. M. B. Wellwood entertained in honor of Dr. W. T. Lockhart's 89th birthday on February 15 at Harbour House Hotel, Ganges.

Guests attending the tea included Dr. W. T. Lockhart, E. T. Lockhart, Dr. McAlister, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bate, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Britton, Miss Helen Dean, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mout, Miss Grace Mout, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wells and Mr. and Mrs. C. Zenkie.

This was also the occasion of the 13th wedding anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. Wellwood. Mrs. Wellwood wore an amber satin dress with brown accessories and beautiful narcissus corsage, and Dr. Lockhart had three red rosebuds in his lapel.

The room looked lovely, with spring flowers, the serving table being highlighted by a centerpiece of pale pink tulips and double white stocks, and there were vases of King Alfred daffodils everywhere.

Dr. Lockhart was born in Cheshire, England, on February 15, 1868. He came to Rapid City, Manitoba, in 1879, and graduated from the University of Manitoba in 1898. Dr. Lockhart then practised in Carnduff, in Saskatchewan.

He took the 20th Border Horse Regiment to Valcartier and England where he transferred to the C.A.M.C. and went as surgeon to the 1st Artillery Brigade.

Dr. Lockhart served in France from 1915-17 and later, in England. After the war he returned to Canada and practised in Vancouver until 1949, when he retired and came to live on Salt Spring.

He is an ardent golfer, and can

be found any day on the course, except when the snow is on the ground. His sister, the late Miss H. L. Lockhart, retired to Salt Spring with Dr. Lockhart and was also highly esteemed.

She was a registered pharmacist, graduating in 1903, and operated a drug store in Vancouver most of her life. After the tea, Dr. and Mrs. Wellwood were entertained at dinner and bridge at Dr. Lockhart's home, by Mrs. M. Spurr. Numerous friends who were unable to attend, phoned or sent cards of congratulation.

## Marksmen Stage Valentine Dance

Galliano Rod and Gun Club held a Valentine's dance at the hall on Saturday, Feb. 9.

The hall was decorated with red and white hearts and streamers. The Somenos orchestra from Duncan supplied excellent music.

During the refreshment period the cups which were won in competition last week were presented by the president to Peter Denroche and Don Robson.

The prize radio was won by George Georgeson, and the door prize by B. Thomas, of New Westminster.

Winners of other prizes during the evening were Mrs. R. Brackett, Stanley Page and Gerald Stewart and Steve Riddell. Harry Wright brought a party over from Mayne Island to enjoy the dance.

## Church Wardens Are Elected At Ganges Meeting

Annual meeting was held in the parish hall at St. George's Anglican Church, Ganges, on February 13.

Archdeacon Holmes gave a most encouraging report. Excellent reports were presented by the W.A. Evening Branch, Vesuvius Circle, St. Mark's Guild, St. George's Guild, St. Mary's Guild and the Sunday school.

Appointed church wardens are: P. Cartwright for St. Mark's Church, Col. D. Crofton for St. George's Church, and A. E. Roddis for St. Mary's Church. Elected wardens for these churches respectively are: R. Taylor, C. W. Leggett, and E. Lacy. Treasurer is H. Price; secretary, W. Palmer; auditor, J. Bate. Elected to the Synod are: R. Underhill, Col. Crofton, Mr. Roddis and S. Quinton, with substitute delegates, E. Worthington, Mr. Leggett and R. Price.

The church committee includes, Mrs. Acland, Mrs. V. C. Best, Mrs. G. H. Holmes, Mrs. F. L. Jackson, Mrs. W. Norton, Mrs. J. Parsons, Mrs. W. Palmer, Mrs. C. Springford, Mrs. J. Wood, Mrs. E. Worthington, V. C. Morris, R. Price, S. Quinton, G. Shove, V. Sholes, R. Underhill and E. Worthington.

A hearty vote of thanks was given to Archdeacon and Mrs. G. H. Holmes, Rev. Caldwell, church wardens, and church organists.

# THE GULF ISLANDS

## SATURNA

Mrs. Villars Kay and her sister, Mrs. Grace Ruffie, spent the week-end in Victoria, the latter to become a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon have returned home after spending the week-end in Victoria.

Mrs. Arthur Ralph is at home following a week-end in Victoria, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ellen Rudd.

Dr. and Mrs. B. Hallows have returned to their home on their island, after spending the winter months visiting in Vancouver.

Walter Kay spent the week-end in Sidney, returning to Saturna on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bellamy have welcomed a son at Lady Minto Hospital in Ganges.

## DAUGHTERS REVIEW YEAR

Annual report of H.M.S. Ganges Chapter, I.O.D.E., was presented at the annual meeting recently by the secretary, Miss F. M. Aitkens.

During the year regular meetings were held at Mahon Hall. Six food stalls were operated, netting the sum of \$225.32. A turkey contest added \$35 to this figure. Four new members were welcomed, Mrs. H. G. Geigerich, Mrs. F. Forster, Mrs. L. Proctor and Miss A. Wheeler.

Donations of \$10 each were made to the volunteer fire department, and the Korean Children's Fund. The chapter's adopted school at Talayoko was sent many books and games, as well as a Christmas parcel. Christmas parcels were also packed for families on the island, these included hand-knitted socks.

Marie Bennett of Mayne Island won the Ganges chapter local school monetary assistance of \$35. The sum of \$10 was given to help defray the cost of some films shown in the school, and a further \$5 was given to assist in the upkeep of the X-ray in Lady Minto Hospital.

## MEMORIAL DAY

Following the Memorial Day service, a wreath was placed on the cenotaph at Ganges. Miss F. M. Aitkens, secretary, received an I.O.D.E. spoon in appreciation of her good work. In September, Mrs. H. G. Geigerich took over the duties of treasurer from Mrs. W. M. Mout. Mrs. T. Mout gave eight interesting papers during the year, on current events. Miss Beddis was congratulated on holding the office of standard bearer longer than any one person in Canada.

October saw all local organizations joining in a tag day for the blind, which realized the sum of \$132.35. The gratitude of the members was expressed to the regent, Mrs. V. C. Best, for all her hard work during the past year.

## Valentine Party

Miss Marcia Sober entertained members of the younger set at a Valentine party on Friday evening, February 15, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sober, Ganges.

The big basement rumpus room was attractively and appropriately decorated in the Valentine motif.

Buffet supper was served from

## BIG TURN-OUT AT FULFORD DANCE HALL

St. Valentine's dance on Friday night at the Fulford Hall was a very successful affair. About 150 turned out and the music of the Islanders was enjoyed by all.

The hall was decorated for the occasion with the Valentine motif by Mrs. Dane and Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. L. Mollett and Mr. and Mrs. F. Reid. The supper tables were attractively arranged by Mrs. F. Reid and Mrs. C. Kaye, who also helped to serve the supper with Mrs. Dane and Mrs. G. Reynolds. The gay costumes were judged by Mrs. S. Morrison, F. Ball and Mrs. Olson.

The best Valentine costume was won by Miss Darlene Akerman. The most original lady's costume, Mrs. E. Kaye; most original men's, J. Smith; best dressed lady, Mrs. J. Smith; best dressed men's, Chester Kaye; comic lady's costume, Mrs. Dolman; men's comic, W.E. Greenough.

Les Mollet was master of ceremonies and Mrs. R. Young was at the door. About \$50 will be cleared after deduction of costs.

## NORTH PENDER

Dr. Riddell went to Victoria on Tuesday to spend a few days.

T. A. H. Clark has returned to the island after a short holiday in Victoria.

The Guild of St. Peter's Church held their monthly meeting on Friday at the home of Mrs. A. C. Crawford.

Bert Roe spent the week-end in Victoria.

Mrs. H. C. Harvey is a visitor in Vancouver.

The Pender Island Players met at the home of Miss Busted on Wednesday evening. As there is to be no spring production, it was decided to meet every second Wednesday of the month, and to form play-reading groups.

The built-in cupboards and bar, highlighted by a big Valentine cake.

Dancing and games were much enjoyed. Guests attending were Linda Baker, Diane Ackerman, Sandra Bradley, Violet Evanoff, Valary Harker, Ann McColm, Linda Netherfield, Marguerite Gear, Penny Petersen, Charles Butt, Henry Caldwell, Jim Jackson, Kent LaFluere, Robin Reid and Leslie Wagg.

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EFFECTIVE on and after September 22, 1956.  
Subject to change without notice.

TUESDAY	
Lv.—Vancouver .....	8.30 a.m.
Lv.—1148 W. Georgia .....	8.30 a.m.
Lv.—Steveston .....	8.45 a.m.
Lv.—Galliano .....	11.30 a.m.
Lv.—Mayne Island .....	12.30 p.m.
Lv.—Port Washington .....	1.30 p.m.
Lv.—Hope Bay .....	2.30 p.m.
Lv.—Saturna .....	3.00 p.m.
Lv.—Ganges .....	5.30 p.m.
Lv.—Mayne Island .....	6.30 p.m.
Lv.—Galliano .....	7.00 p.m.
Lv.—Steveston .....	9.30 p.m.
Lv.—Vancouver .....	10.15 p.m.

THURSDAY	
Lv.—Vancouver .....	9.00 a.m.
Lv.—1148 W. Georgia .....	9.00 a.m.
Lv.—Steveston .....	10.00 a.m.
Lv.—Galliano .....	12.40 p.m.
Lv.—Mayne Island .....	1.05 p.m.
Lv.—Port Washington .....	1.55 p.m.
Lv.—Ganges .....	3.00 p.m.

FRIDAY	
Lv.—Ganges .....	6.00 a.m.
Lv.—Port Washington .....	7.00 a.m.
Lv.—Mayne Island .....	7.40 a.m.
Lv.—Galliano .....	8.00 a.m.
Lv.—Steveston .....	10.30 a.m.
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Lv.—Steveston .....	9.45 p.m.
Lv.—Vancouver .....	10.30 p.m.

SUNDAY	
Lv.—Vancouver .....	10.30 a.m.
Lv.—Steveston .....	11.00 a.m.
Lv.—Galliano .....	1.15 p.m.
Lv.—Ganges .....	3.00 p.m.
Lv.—Port Washington .....	4.00 p.m.
Lv.—Saturna .....	4.50 p.m.
Lv.—Mayne .....	6.45 p.m.
Lv.—Galliano .....	6.15 p.m.
Lv.—Steveston .....	8.45 p.m.
Lv.—Vancouver .....	9.30 p.m.

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## HUNGARIAN FAMILY PLANS TO MAKE HOME AT FULFORD

A Hungarian family will be arriving at Fulford this week to make their home for a while in the Akerman's old home.

There will be the parents and three children, whose ages are about 11, nine and five.

The mother knows a few words of English but as the first month is always the hardest in a strange country, with no money and no work, donations of food would be very much appreciated.

A number of useful articles have been collected by the kindly residents on the island in the hope of making life more bearable for these homeless refugees. There will be a welcome for them from the people of Fulford.

Canned food, vegetables and anything in the way of food would help out at this time and can be left at Bob Akerman's place in Burgoyne Valley, or Phone 16M, and Bob will see that it is collected.

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## FIRE PROTECTION COMMITTEE A PUBLIC MEETING

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at the  
Mahon Hall, Ganges at 8 p.m.

### PURPOSES:

- (a) To discuss formation of an improvement district to provide funds for Fire Protection;
  - (b) To elect a committee to undertake formation of such a district.
2. Centennial Committee.  
To elect a committee to plan projects for the Centennial year.

## EDUCATION WEEK—MARCH 4

A Public Meeting will be held in the Mahon Hall, Ganges, at 8 p.m.

A panel discussion will be held on Education and Education Financing and Their Effect on Our Community.

The meeting will be under the auspices of the Salt Spring Island Chamber of Commerce.

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Lv.—Mayne .....	9.30 a.m.	Lv.—Mayne .....	2.00 p.m.
Lv.—Port Washington .....	10.00 a.m.	Lv.—Galliano .....	2.20 p.m.
Lv.—Swartz Bay .....	11.00 a.m.	Ar.—Ganges .....	3.30 p.m.
Monday			
Lv.—Ganges .....	7.00 a.m.	Lv.—Ganges .....	7.00 a.m.
Lv.—Galliano .....	8.00 a.m.	Lv.—Saturna .....	8.15 a.m.
Lv.—Mayne .....	8.30 a.m.	Lv.—Port Washington .....	9.00 a.m.
Lv.—Swartz Bay .....	9.00 a.m.	Lv.—Swartz Bay .....	10.15 a.m.
Lv.—Port Washington .....	10.15 a.m.	Lv.—Port Washington .....	11.10 a.m.
Lv.—Hope Bay .....	11.40 a.m.	Lv.—Mayne .....	11.45 a.m.
Ar.—Saturna .....	12.05 p.m.	Ar.—Galliano .....	12.05 p.m.
Lv.—Saturna .....	2.00 p.m.	Lv.—Mayne .....	1.30 p.m.
Lv.—Port Washington .....	2.45 p.m.	Lv.—Port Washington .....	1.50 p.m.
Lv.—Swartz Bay .....	3.45 p.m.	Lv.—Swartz Bay .....	2.30 p.m.
Lv.—Port Washington .....	4.40 p.m.	Lv.—Port Washington .....	3.45 p.m.
Lv.—Mayne .....	5.20 p.m.	Lv.—Swartz Bay .....	4.40 p.m.
Lv.—Galliano .....	5.40 p.m.	Lv.—Saturna .....	5.20 p.m.
Ar.—Ganges .....	6.45 p.m.	Ar.—Ganges .....	6.45 p.m.
Friday			
Lv.—Ganges .....	9.00 a.m.	Lv.—Ganges .....	3.00 p.m.
Lv.—Galliano .....	9.00 a.m.	Lv.—Galliano .....	4.00 p.m.
Lv.—Mayne .....	9.20 a.m.	Lv.—Mayne .....	4.20 p.m.
Lv.—Saturna .....	10.25 a.m.	Lv.—Hope Bay .....	5.05 p.m.
Lv.—Hope Bay .....	10.40 a.m.	Lv.—Saturna .....	5.30 p.m.
Ar.—Ganges .....	12 noon	Ar.—Ganges .....	6.45 p.m.

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(Section 5)

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Thomas McCrea Saklofsky of Vesuvius Bay, in the district of Ganges, Salt Spring Island, in the Province of British Columbia, as follows:

To change my name from Thomas McCrea Saklofsky to Thomas McCrea Saxon. My wife's name from Marjorie Adelaide Saklofsky to Marjorie Adelaide Saxon.  
Dated this 17th day of February, A.D. 1957.

T. SAKLOFSKY.



## VOYAGE TO ALASKA

### FORMER ISLANDER'S REMINISCENCES

**By PERCY PURVIS**  
**A TRAGEDY**  
I went back to the hotel and waited two days more. This time I got into the line but when I got to the wicket I was told that my account had not yet come in. Another day passed and I tried again and this time I made it. There were still as many standing in line at night as there were in the morning.

I then went out around town to learn what had become of the ones already paid off. Some had taken the first ship out to Seattle or Victoria. Those were the lucky ones. Some went to the gambling halls to try their luck. They soon disappeared, back up scolding on the railroad. The strike was a tragedy. The snow was still deep and the weather cold.

Not getting in condition to work I decided to go home. Looking about I found bunk mate Quimby. He was still sick and broke. He was stopping at one of the larger hotels where the pumped water for the hotel for one meal a day and the privilege of spreading his blankets in the sitting room at night. I advised him to go back to Seattle but he said he couldn't, he was broke and not fit to work.

I went to a shipping office of one of the companies and I was lucky. The agent was a friend of mine from Victoria. He was pleased to see me and we had quite a visit. I asked him about a ticket to Victoria. "Well," he said, "you are lucky. The rate war is over. I know this because the agents for the other companies have been ordered to raise the rates. But I have received no official notice and I can sell you a ticket at the old rate." I asked how much. "Twelve dollars," I told him to make me out one, which he did. "Now," I said, "will you sell me another at the same price?" "Sure," he said and I took it.

Then I hunted up Leslie Quimby and advised him to take a steamer for home and I would give him a ticket. He objected saying that he did not know when he could pay me. I told him that was all right, just to forget it. "I have a gold ring here on my finger, which I prize very much, take that," I did not want his ring but he insisted. He said there was just one thing when he got home and got the money he would send it to me and would I send him his ring? This I promised to do. But when we parted in Victoria it was the last I heard from him; I have the ring yet.

I went to the St. Nicholas hotel, paid my bill, got my dunnage and

we went aboard the steamer Tees. She was to sail out for Victoria some time during the night. We turned in; Quimby was groaning with the pain in his chest. That was no good; starting on a week's trip with all the symptoms of pneumonia and no doctor available.

I got up, dressed and went up town to a drug store. I told the druggist the symptoms. He said it looked like the start of pneumonia and asked why he had not come to him sooner. I told him he had no money. The druggist said that did not matter he gave medicine to lots of men who were broke. He mixed up a bottle of camphorated oil and turpentine and said to rub it in hard but not simply spread it on but to rub it in till it fairly burned. He gave also a small box of pills. The cost was only \$1.75.

Taking this down to Quimby where he was lying groaning on his bunk, I pulled the cork, handed him the bottle and told him the directions. He opened the front of his shirt and rubbed his breast gently. Soon he said he thought it was enough.

(To be continued.)

## LEGION SWELLS MEMBERSHIP

Regular monthly meeting of the Canadian Legion at Salt Spring Island, was held in the Legion Hall at Ganges on Monday, Feb. 11, with 30 members present and W. F. Thorburn presiding.

In keeping with the Legion membership drive being held right across Canada, the local membership is increasing very rapidly.

Plans for the year's work continue to be the rehabilitation program on the Legion Hall. The outside is now in good condition, so work will be concentrated on the inside during the coming months.

A delegate was sent to Fulford to attend the meeting regarding a sports field being established there.

**Day Of Prayer**  
Monthly meeting of St. Margaret's Guild at Galiano, was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Stanley Page, on Wednesday, Feb. 13.

Arrangements were completed for the Woman's Day of Prayer to be held in the church on Friday, March 2 at 2 p.m.

Ladies from Mayne Island will be asked to attend the ceremony and the tea that will follow.

# THE GULF ISLANDS

## GANGES

Mrs. E. J. Ashlee,  
Ganges 97-W

Mrs. C. Zenkie is spending a week in North Vancouver, visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. Haynes and family.

Mrs. T. Burge entertained at a buffet luncheon, February 13, at her home. Guests were Mrs. T. Ayres, Mrs. D. Crofton, Miss D. Crofton, Mrs. T. Field, Mrs. F. Morris, Mrs. R. Salveson, Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. J. Sturdy, Mrs. I. White, Mrs. T. W. Wilkie and Mrs. I. Williams.

Mrs. Gerald Bullock was a visitor to Salt Spring this week. Major Bullock has returned from his extended stay in England, and is in hospital in Victoria, while Mrs. Bullock is the guest of Frank Crofton, Victoria.

Rev. C. S. Coldwell will give a series of addresses at the Lenten services at St. George's Church, commencing Ash Wednesday and carrying on until Holy Week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Eberts, Beddis Road, have just returned from a vacation to Honolulu.

Mrs. A. Millner returned sooner than planned, from a trip to Hawaii, when Capt. A. Millner was taken ill. He is at present in hospital, Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Cooke (nee Madeline Patchett) are visiting Mr. Cooke's parents in Winnipeg. Mr. Cooke has transferred from the navy to the air force, and is at present stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brown had their daughter, Josette, home for a week-end visit from U.B.C. Accompanying Miss Brown was Robert Brodie of Vancouver.

Miss Lynn Young, U.B.C., also returned home to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Young, Ganges.

Miss Denise Crofton entertained at Harbour House Hotel on Saturday, Feb. 16, on the occasion of Keith Wilson's birthday. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Crofton, Mrs. N. Degnan, Mr. and Mrs. D. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. T. Burge, Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. Galbraith, Mr. and Mrs. T. Field, Mr. and Mrs. Humphries, Mr. and Mrs. G. Shove, Mr. and Mrs. Speed, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith, Miss T. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sturdy, Miss J. Mitchell, Mrs. W. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. E. McMillan, Mrs. B. Wilson, Miss B. Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. T. Wilkie, Dr. and Mrs. I. Williams, Dr. and Mrs. I. White, Michael Morris, Al Taylor, Eric Springford and Fred Sprackell.

Guests registered at Harbour House were: G. Howland, Saturna Island; J. Rathenbury, D. Pearson, D. Shaw, G. Bene, R. Hanson and Miss B. Hanson, all of Vancouver; C. Booker, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. R. Lamont, Saanichton; G. Crick-ett, Surrey; and Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Crofton and family, Cameron, Kerry and Barry.

Mrs. Howard Byron was the lucky winner recently of a \$100 certificate toward an Elma sewing machine, when she entered a Victoria contest.

## WATER SOUGHT FOR HOSPITAL

**Lady Minto Hospital report**  
Since January 26, to date, includes 33 admissions, among whom were one from Prevost Island, seven from Fulford, three from Galiano, two from Mayne, one from Pender Island and one from Sidney.

Miss Pamela Robinson has joined the staff. She is a graduate of Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster. The hospital board announces, with regret, the resignation of Mrs. B. Parsons, hospital cook.

Donations were received from: Arthur Howard, pork; Mrs. M. Wells, gift to staff; Miss Freda Nobbs, useful gifts to children's ward; B. Acland, magazines, and Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, magazines.

Records for the month of January show: 67 under care; 338 patient days, adult and child; eight patient days, new born; 21 oper-

## Marks 86 Years

Mrs. H. Harris and Mrs. G. Twiss were co-hostesses at an afternoon party on Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Galiano Island home of the latter. The occasion was the 86th birthday of Mrs. V. Zala.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Page, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. New, Mr. and Mrs. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. G. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Twiss, Mr. and Mrs. V. Zala, Mrs. W. Bond, Mrs. R. Hepburn and Mrs. D. Bellhouse.

## UNITED CHURCH TO CATER TO NATIVE SONS

The United Church Evening Circle met on February 11 at the home of Mrs. C. Moutat, Churchill Road, Ganges.

There were 15 members present, with Mrs. Irl Bradley in the chair. The devotional period was taken by Mrs. I. Bradley.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of \$225. It was decided to give a donation of \$150 towards the church building fund, currently being used to finish the church basement and add kitchen facilities.

Reports were heard, of the catering of the last Chamber of Commerce dinner, showing that 110 persons were served and that the net profit on this undertaking was \$70. It was agreed to have a kitchen shower at the next meeting and members are requested to bring tea towels, or other items.

Mrs. C. Moutat will be hospital visitor for the circle. Plans were made to hold the annual pancake tea on Church Tuesday, March 5, in the church hall at Ganges. Mrs. Irl Bradley will be convener.

## FIRST DINNER

The Evening Circle was requested to cater to an inauguration dinner meeting for the Native Sons on February 23 in Mahon Hall. There are already 20 members to be installed, and the public is welcome.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Willard Ireland, archivist, who has just completed the history of Salt Spring. Dinner arrangements will remain the same as the last dinner for which members catered, with members taking on the same duties as before, and Mrs. Bradley again general convener. Refreshments were served by tea hostesses, Mrs. M. Sober and Mrs. J. Tomlinson.

## VALENTINE TEA SWELLS FUNDS FOR CHURCH

A most successful Valentine tea was held by the Anglican W.A. in the parish hall at St. George's Church, Ganges. The tea was officially opened by Archdeacon G. H. Holmes.

Tea tables were attractive with spring flowers, and at the head table, beautiful yellow daffodils were flanked by green candles in silver candlesticks. Red hearts and cupid's decorated the white cloth to accent the valentine motif.

Pouring tea with the silver services were Miss Motherwell and Mrs. J. Wood, and later, Mrs. Springford and Mrs. G. B. Young. Mrs. G. H. Holmes was receiving guests, and Mrs. S. P. Beech was at the door. The home cooking stall was in charge of Mrs. S. Frost and Mrs. H. Price, while the sewing stall was in the capable hands of Mrs. E. Adams and Miss Wheeler.

Tea was convened by Mrs. F. Baker, assisted by Mrs. Barber, Mrs. V. Jackson, Mrs. W. Palmer, Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Norton. The girls' choir also helped serving the tea, including Jennifer Graham, Susan Graham, Wendy Morris and Marilyn Parsons. Over \$50 was realized during the afternoon, to swell the funds.

ations, major and minor; 25 cardiograms, 65 patients X-rayed, and four B.M.R.'s.

The Salt Spring Waterworks has been asked to start putting in the waterline for the new hospital. Plans for this new building are continuing and further details will soon be available.

## GALIANO

Returning home from Honolulu, Mr. and Mrs. Adam of Terrace, B.C., stopped off to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. S. Wormald.

Len Neuert, of Vancouver, spent last week-end with his sister, Mrs. E. W. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Carolan had as their guests last week-end Mr. and Mrs. A. Schierling, of Whalley, B. Cunningham and B. Thomas, of New Westminster.

Mrs. T. H. Simpson, of Retreat Cove, returned home last Sunday after a stay in Vancouver.

Mrs. A. B. Jones, of Vancouver, is visiting her son, J. F. Jones.

Mrs. Ross Parmenter spent a few days in Vancouver visiting her mother, Mrs. F. L. Wilson.

## FROM VANCOUVER

Mrs. F. Robson returned from Vancouver on Friday night, accompanied by Miss Carol Robson and Don Robson, home for the week-end.

Harold Shopland spent last week-end at home.

Miss Marilyn Kiddell was home from school last week-end.

Steve Kiddell was in Vancouver for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Scoones, of Victoria, spent last week-end with Mrs. E. I. Scoones.

## Purchases Planned By Catholic Group

Catholic Women's League at Salt Spring Island, held their regular meeting in Our Lady of Grace Church hall on February 12, with Mrs. H. Miller presiding.

The treasurer's report showed \$600, but a number of purchases will soon be made for the church, including cassocks.

Main business was the finalizing of plans for the home cooking stall

that was held in the Salt Spring Island Trading Company store on Valentine's Day, Feb. 14. Those assisting at this stall were Mrs. I. Hughes, Mrs. M. Gyves, Mrs. E. Brenton, Mrs. J. Reed and Mrs. St. Denis.

Two contests were held, with Mrs. Geo. St. Denis winning a cushion and Mrs. J. B. Foubister winning a box of candy. The sum of \$40 was realized.

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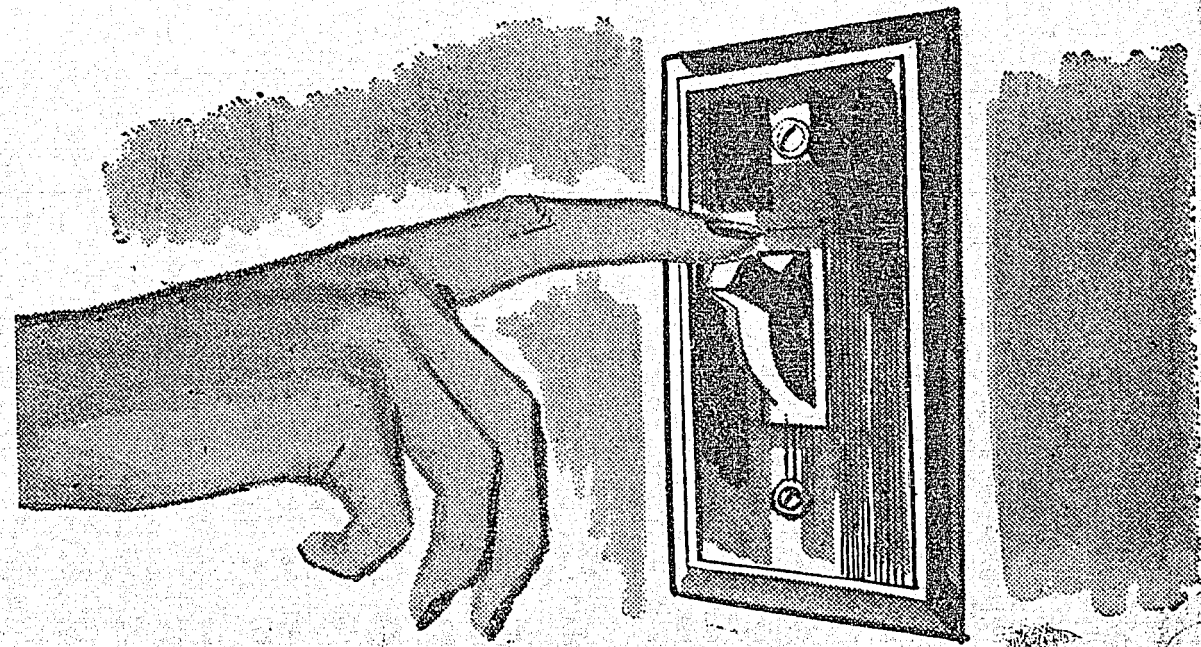


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## Her first stop — the bank

When Mrs. Wilson planned to go shopping, her husband Tom said; "Meet you at the bank." It was a natural thing to say, for going to the bank is just a part of everyday life.

In the bank, Mrs. Wilson noticed Miss Ellis the schoolteacher... Mr. Cooper the storekeeper... and her neighbour's son Bobby, adding to his savings account.

When Tom arrived, he grinned: "Seems like everybody goes to the bank." It's true. Canadians find the chartered banks such a safe and handy place to keep money that practically everybody has a bank account. There are now more than 10 million deposit accounts in the chartered banks—more accounts than there are adults in the country.

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# EXPERIMENTAL FARM NOTES

## WEEKLY REPORT OF NORTH SAANICH STATION

Flower growers everywhere appreciate annuals for their great wealth of color, form and variety and when a new variety makes the headlines the adjectives that herald the newcomer literally tingle the spine. At least that's the way it used to affect the writer but after some disappointing ones he now reads the advance publicity and divides the score by two. At any rate, we wish to introduce you to three newcomers. All-American Award winners, their names are Glitters petunia, Red Satin petunia and Twinkle phlox.

Pass on to you the refreshing scriptive "sales talk" which, it confesses, has almost sold their virtues. "Strictly judged," evaluated they are superior to others of their color or class; widely adapted grown and healthy. They stood all season long in comparison with the best of their kinds.

26 well-chosen trial grounds, including southern Canada. In this way the two petunia varieties and the phlox demonstrated their behaviour in many temperate zones, in sand to clay soils, from sea-coast to the mountains, in wet and dry climates.

Glitters-petunia is unique in that a red and white bicolor

petunia. There have been violet and white, purple and white, even a recent crimson and white but Glitters is the most uniform in coloring and habit of low, compact bedding growth. It is a vivid scarlet, starred or striped with pure white. Plant breeders have been striving for such a novelty for many years. It was finally developed in Japan by T. Sakata, said to be the originator of the first all-double petunia.

Glitters is a true first generation hybrid, 10 to 12 inches high, of rounded form and covered with 2 1/2 to 3 inch blooms. It is of the multiflora type and stands up well throughout the entire season and blooms from spring to killing frosts.

The other petunia selected for honors, the Red Satin, is a vigorous multiflora and also a first generation or true hybrid. Its beautifully mounded plants of 12 to 15 inches are sturdy, compact and covered with 2 1/2 to 3-inch blooms all season long.

Red Satin, vivid with shining satiny scarlet-red flowers, fails to succumb to heat and sun and will continue to bloom freely under difficult growing conditions.

The 1957 All-American Twinkle phlox is of the dwarf type, measur-

## Ripple Rock Tunnel Two-Thirds Finished

(Campbell River Courier)

The underwater tunnel from Maude Island to the heart of Ripple Rock is now two-thirds finished.

Total distance of the tunnel will be 2300 feet and of this, 1465 has been completed.

Three eight-hour shifts are drilling out about 160 feet of rock a week as they make their way to the centre of the double-pronged navigational hazard in Seymour Narrows. They'll cram the rock with explosives and blow it to pieces in the biggest blast ever to be heard on the Pacific coast.

The explosion is slated for early 1958.

ing from six to eight inches. Each petal is sharply star pointed. The petals being on such low, compact plants, seem to have larger trusses and hence give more colorful display than on the taller (15 inch) type.

New colors also have been bred into the Twinkle phlox. Pink and salmon have been developed and added to the range of red, lavender, violet, purple, rose, cream and white. This new phlox is an easily grown annual.

**SILAGE QUALITY**

The vital factor in obtaining quality silage is the degree of packing employed in relation to the moisture content of the crop. This factor can be controlled by stage of maturity, wilting, addition of moisture, length of cut, amount of packing, speed of ensiling, etc.

Good quality silage from a grass-legume sward can be obtained over a wide range of maturity. At the bud stage, the standing crop contains a very high percentage of moisture. To offset high moisture, wilting or a long length of chop and a moderate degree of compaction should be employed. As the crop advances in maturity, the moisture content decreases; and so with each advance in maturity the amount of packing to eliminate air in the mass increases. At full bloom, compaction becomes extremely important and difficult to obtain, and if not accomplished, will result in poor quality silage. By using a shorter length of cut with advancing crop maturity, compaction can be greatly facilitated.

Experiments at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, clearly illustrate the importance of compaction. A grass-legume silage ensiled at 75 per cent moisture, but with little or no compaction, gave a poor quality silage with a 43.2 per cent loss of dry matter. The same crop moderately compacted had a loss of 30.9 per cent compared with a loss of only 17.5 per cent when thorough compaction was employed. With thorough compaction the silage had not heavy silage odors, and was relished by the livestock.

## NORTH SAANICH GARDEN CLUB

### GARDEN NOTES BY J. W. IRIS RETICULATA

This lovely little iris will be seen soon, opening its violet flowers, touched with gold, fragrant and so welcome at this time of year.

It is easily grown, and a few bulbs planted in a sunny pocket of the rock garden or in the border beneath the living room window will, year after year, greet you in the early part of the year, sometimes in January, but always before February has run its course.

When you see Iris reticulata in your friends' gardens this year, you will want to have it in your own next year, so make a note to get your bulbs when available.

When planting, see that the bulbs are placed in a well drained spot. Bulbs will not tolerate wet feet.

**RASPBERRIES**  
When you cut out all the old fruiting canes from the raspberry row last August or September, so as to leave nothing but sturdy young canes standing, that did not complete the pruning operations. There is a very important item of pruning due now and that is the topping of the canes.

Whether the canes of last year's growth now standing in the row are six feet tall or barely four feet, every one should be topped. Take the secateurs and cut off as much as 16 inches or more from the very tall ones, and only six inches or so from the shorter ones. Level up the row generally.

The benefits of topping are three-fold. First, it promotes the growth of strong fruiting laterals along practically the whole length of the cane, instead of fruit-bearing laterals growing from only the top foot or so. Thus the crop may be doubled. Secondly, the topping stiffens the straggling canes so that they stand up better under the weight of fruit in the summer; while, thirdly, it reduces very considerably the danger of a serious attack of die-back disease, for it is mostly on the cane tops that the fungus starts.

Each cane should be shortened close back to a sound, live bud and all the pieces cut off must be collected and burned. On no account leave them on the ground.

At the same time make a final thinning of the canes. The short, weakly ones and those springing up out of a joint can be pulled clean out, and with numerous

## FRANKLY SPEAKING

By Frank Snowsall

If our civilization is to continue it is essential that each one of us should see his way clearly through the maze of facts, fancy, and figures which complicate our search for truth. It is thus necessary that we should learn to distinguish between propaganda and scientific argument.

The main purpose of propaganda is not to discover truth, but to prove a case. It pours in on us today from television, radio, newspapers, advertising. It confuses our thinking and decisions in politics, in national and international affairs, in health, in education. It is dangerous because it appeals to primitive emotions of hate, fear, jealousy, and prejudice and because it suppresses all ideas and facts which do not support the case of the propagandist.

W. A. Biddle, in the "Journal of Abnormal Psychology" in October, 1931, wrote this about propaganda:

"1. Avoid reasoning, appeal to emotions and fear.  
"2. Fit the situation into a pattern of 'we' versus the 'enemy'. Individuals, groups, nations, which on other occasions may be considered friends, may become enemies for the purpose of propaganda.

"3. Reach social groups as well as individuals—set Jews against Gentiles, religious sect against religious sect, worker against employer, farmer against city worker, one group of workers against another.

"4. Hide the propagandist, give the opposition no opportunity to check and refute your statements."

**LIKE GOSSIP**  
Propaganda is like gossip, not necessarily less dangerous because it is false. A lie well told is bound to be believed by a number of people, especially if it is repeated often enough. Any presentation which appeals to our emotions, our fears, our prejudices (whether racial, religious, political, economic, or social) should be viewed with suspicion.

In contrast to propaganda, the scientific method demands complete unselfishness and uncompromising intellectual honesty. It demands that:

Complete results and facts of investigations be published whether favorable or unfavorable to the investigator;

That fullest criticism, questioning, and investigation of results and conclusions be invited and that no conclusion be accepted until it has withstood such investigation. John Stuart Mill told us that we could place no reliance in any opinion or belief until we had defended it against the widest possible criticism;

That all appeals to emotions, hate, prejudice, personal desires be rigidly excluded.

Scientific thinking encourages the self sacrifice and intellectual honesty which have raised mankind above the level of the beast. Once a person starts living the life of intellectual honesty, he finds growing within him the realization that he is in possession of something much more than a tool to find the right answers. He finds something fine in carrying through a train of thought regardless of personal implications. He feels a traitor to something deep within himself if he refuses to follow out the logical implications because he sees they are going to be unpleasant to himself.

**OBSTACLE**  
The greatest single obstacle to clear thinking is the tendency of people to believe only those things they want to believe and to refuse to believe the things they don't want to believe. Roy C. Bryan, principal of the Western State high school, Kalamazoo, Mich., taught his students these seven rules of clear thinking. First, prevent your feelings from dictating your thinking. Secondly, suspend judgment until you have sufficient evidence and facts to be justified in reaching a conclusion. Then strive to identify assumptions, an opinion the truth of which remains to be determined. Next, insist on adequate cross-section samples, don't be satisfied with "Leading citizens support..." Beware of analogies; even though they help to make thoughts clear and often suggest solutions, they never prove anything. And finally, call for evidence of cause-effect relationships.

For example, a prominent B.C. politician said in the last election campaign, "People are leaving Saskatchewan like rats leaving a sinking ship. If the C.O.P. can do the things they claim they can do, why are so many people leaving?"

The depression of the 1930's was blamed on the Conservative government of R. B. Bennett in Canada. Credit for the present expansion is claimed to be the result of the election of a Social Credit government but as follows: In 1934, the return of prosperity to Canada was credited to the return of the Liberals in that election.

A solution to our problems today sign of cane spot disease—should be removed and burned.

A dormant spray of lime-sulphur should be made when the plants are in the green tip or bud-burst

## RAMANATHAN POPULAR

### Adopted By North Saanich Students

North Saanich High School United Nations Club has received a photograph and brief life story of Ramanathan, 14-year-old Indian boy, who is now a resident of Seva Samajam Boys' Home at Madras, India. The youth has been "adopted" by the North Saanich students who provide funds for his welfare.

The case history, provided by the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada, reads as follows:

"In the Seva Samajam Boys' Home live 72 utterly destitute boys who have never known the security of home before. The boys, ranging in age from four to 14, come from all parts of the state and are admitted regardless of creed or caste.

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In the wide, spacious yard that surrounds the school, the children have outdoor classes, games and gardening.

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The United Nations Club at North Saanich high school has been successful in raising \$60 for its orphan fund.

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## Forum Discusses National Needs

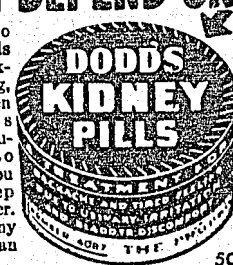
On Monday evening, over CBC, Dr. J. M. Thomas, Saanich, chaired a forum of C.O.P. M.L.A.'s, Arthur Turner, Leo Nimsick and John Squire, who discussed what they felt to be the major issues before the legislature this session.

Increased pensions, compulsory, auto insurance provided at cost through a government agency, more adequate and less legalistic compensation laws, vastly increased provincial and federal grants to all levels of education, and wider hospital coverage with a provincially supported program of building to accommodate our rapidly increasing population were the main points covered.

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## GARDENERS PLAN FLOWER SHOW IN SIDNEY DISTRICT AS INDIVIDUAL ATTRACTION

North Saanich Garden Club has plans well in hand for a spring flower show to be held early in May.

Last year the gardeners sponsored a show in conjunction with another organization. So much interest was shown in this show that it was decided to put on the show this year as an event by itself. One of the deciding factors in doing this was the fact that there is no hall large enough in Sidney to give adequate space for a flower show and house any other activity at the same time.

Programs will soon be available listing the various classes in the show and the awards that will be given. The show is wide open to any one who wishes to exhibit flowers, and it is hoped that there

will be a large display of blooms for the judges to work on.

This show will give growers in

### Surprise Party For Mrs. M. Clay

On Thursday evening, Feb. 14, Mrs. M. Clay, Mills Road, was pleasantly surprised when eight ladies called to help her celebrate her 73rd birthday.

A social evening was enjoyed. A phone call from Mrs. Clay's daughter, living in Bralorne, highlighted the evening.

The refreshment table was centred with a heart-shaped birthday cake made by Betty Herrington and decorated by Barbara Peters.

Mrs. A. Johnson and Mrs. K. Herrington were co-hostesses.

the area a chance to show the public just what can be accomplished by those who enjoy producing quality blooms. The committee in charge stresses two points that are required to make this show a success, first, a large number of exhibits. Plan now to enter some of your best blooms. The second requirement is public support.

### SAANICH C.C.F. SPEAKERS AT VANCOUVER

In Vancouver on Saturday, attending the C.C.F. provincial council, were Dr. J. M. Thomas and Frank Snowsall, from Saanich.

The main business of the meeting was discussion of the federal campaign. Ken Pattern, Dewdney and Knut Butedahl, Vancouver, led discussion on organizing for the campaign. Harold Thayer, formerly of Victoria and now provincial treasurer, outlined plans for financing the campaign. The C.C.F. depends absolutely on member contributions it was emphasized afterwards by Mr. Snowsall.

The federal program of the C.C.F. was fully discussed. Dr. Thomas and Arnold Webster outlined the C.C.F. policy of economic democracy so that economic expansion will continue without the excess of inflation and deflation characteristic of the present economic system and so that the fruits of that expansion will be shared fairly by all the people rather than monopolized by a few.

C.C.F. proposals for providing security for farmers and fishermen were outlined by Jack Snowsall from Kelowna and Bob Prittie, C.C.F. federal candidate in Burnaby. The C.C.F. believes that primary producers of food must be enabled to meet the urgent need for food in large areas of the world, it was urged, and that vigorous government action is needed to ensure that the food is marketed and that a fair and secure return is obtained by the producers.

### FOR LABOR

Grant MacNeil led the discussion on the C.C.F. program for labor. He stated the C.C.F. policy that, "national minimum standards should be established in all parts of Canada and that a national labor code be established guaranteeing the rights of all workers."

Grace MacInnis told the group that the C.C.F. policy for more abundant living meant "a national security system to ensure that no person shall ever lack a minimum standard of comfort and financial independence and that pensions and allowances of all kinds should be adjusted to the cost of living."

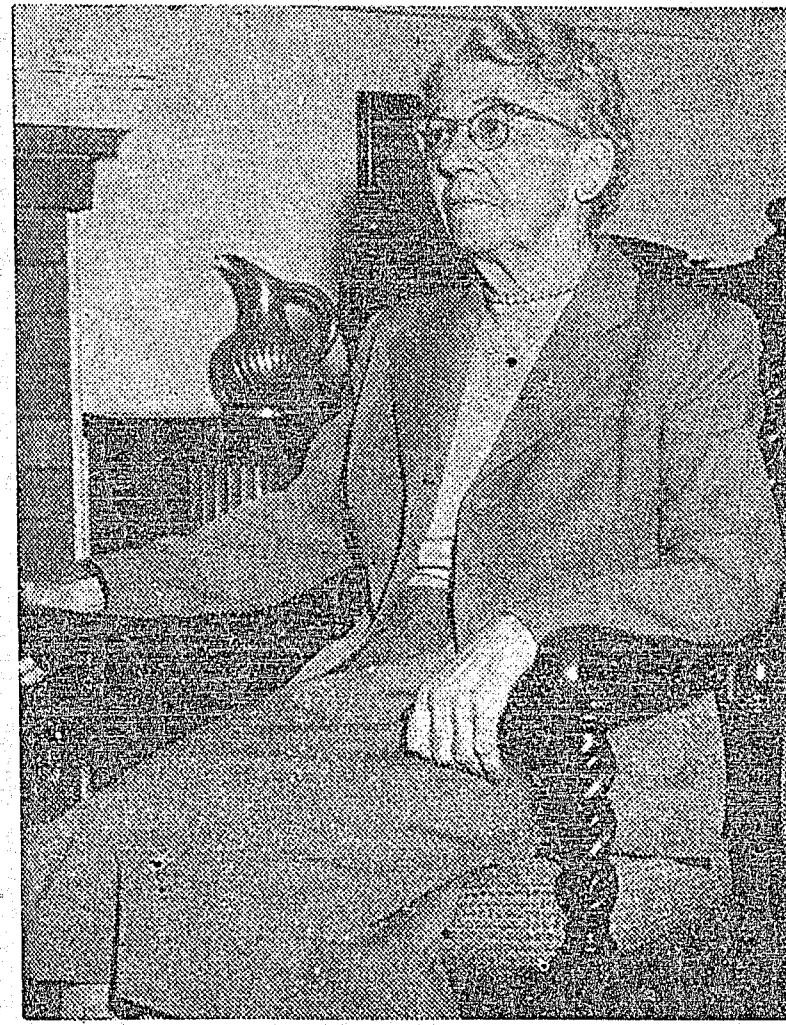
The national C.C.F. council had at its last meeting stated that the minimum senior citizens' pension should be \$75 at age 65 and that this would still be below the purchasing power which should be given to retired workers.

Pat Burns, Vancouver, told of the determination of the C.C.F. to introduce an effective bill of rights as a necessary safeguard and sound foundation to erase every vestige of racial, religious, and political discrimination.

### INTERNATIONAL

Frank Snowsall, leading the discussion on the C.C.F. policy for international affairs said, "The C.C.F. proposes full support for the United Nations and the establishment of a permanent international police force of sufficient size and adequate armament to enforce U.N. decisions, the recognition of the right of all nations and peoples to self government, support for international disarmament and the prohibition of nuclear weapons and Canada's leadership in instituting a vast world economic program to allocate raw materials in accordance with needs" . . . to achieve these ends it will be necessary for nations to surrender a part of their sovereignty.

## Former Deep Cove Lady



MISS RUBY SIMPSON

Former well-known resident of Deep Cove and North Saanich trustee on the board of Saanich School District No. 63, Miss Ruby Simpson, of Victoria, was elected president of the Victorian Order of Nurses at the 46th annual meeting of the board of directors last Thursday. Nursing service covers Victoria, Oak Bay and Esquimalt and bedside care is given in View Royal.

—Times Out.

## FLUORIDATION GAINS FAVOR IN B.C. MUNICIPALITIES

Throughout B.C., fluoridation of city water supplies continues to gain favor. In Vancouver the public's increased interest was marked by the formation last week of a Dental Health Division of the Greater Vancouver Health League.

First chairman of the group is Mrs. John Fenton, a Vancouver housewife, who spearheaded a "marching mothers" survey of almost 2,000 homes. Tabulated results released recently showed 1,901 persons in favor, or 77 per cent of those replying to the questionnaires.

sary for nations to surrender a part of their sovereignty.

"The U.N. police force must act on the instructions of the U.N. and not be governed by the request of the nations being policed."

## BADER'S STORY COMES TO GEM THEATRE SCREEN

"Reach for the Sky" opens at the Gem Theatre on Thursday, Feb. 21.

The J. Arthur Rank organization presents Kenneth More as Group Captain Douglas Bader, who is one of a handful of heroes who became a legend in their lifetime.

Based on the best-seller by Paul Brickhill that has fired the imagination of readers throughout the world, "Reach for the Sky" is Bader's story. It tells of the born athlete and pilot, who suffered the loss of both legs in a flying accident but who never lost the determination to reach for the sky and make it his empire. It is the intimate story of a legless man who danced, walked, drove a car and finally flew again. For the role of Bader there could be no better choice than Kenneth More.

The same brilliant casting gives Muriel Pavlow the feminine lead as Bader's young wife, Thelma. Her personal faith in her husband helped him in his self-set aim of moving mountains to reach his goal. In support are Lyndon Brook and Lee Patterson.

Winner of the \$10 prize offered on Thursday evening, Feb. 14, was Mrs. Glen John, Sidney.

## TUG BOAT IS HERO OF NEW PICTORIAL

The romance of the tugboat in all its sturdy and worthy aspects as it has operated for over half a century in Pacific waters, is the subject of a salty new photographic volume, "Pacific Tugboats". Its sponsors, Superior Publishing Company of Seattle, are specialists in this type of book picturing Western Americana. They state this is the first pictorial history of its kind ever published.

Written by Gordon Newell, author of "S O S North Pacific" and "Ships of the Inland Sea", in collaboration with Seattle marine photographer and collector, Joe Williamson, the book will contain more than 250 photographs of tugboats, salvage operations, tugboat "evolutions" and candid shots of tug and crew men at work. The text will feature "tales told in the galley" while the men are mugging up" as well as company and personal biographies.

In range, Pacific Tugboats will include operations in all Pacific waters, inlets, harbors and open sea from San Francisco north. The authors secured the co-operation of major tugboat firms and did extensive research work on the historical events.

Publication is scheduled for August 1.



### CLOSEST

Before U. S. Grant became a general in the army he strode into a tavern, wearing a long, blue overcoat. It was court time and lawyers were sitting in a tight circle around a hot stove. One of them noticed Grant and asked: "Are you a stranger here?" "Yes," said U. S. "Travelled far?" "Yes." "Hm-m. Looks like you might have travelled through hell itself." "I have." The lawyer chuckled and demanded: "Well, how did you find things down

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"Is he fast?" exclaimed the track coach. "Why, he bumped into a wasp's nest the other day and the wasps had to chase him two miles before they finally caught him."

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there?" "Just about like here," concluded Grant. "Lawyers all closest to the fire."

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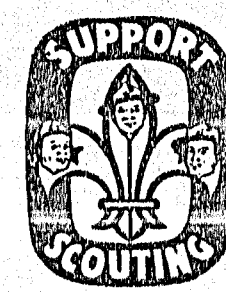
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## District Leaders In Red Cross Drive Appointed

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Annual Red Cross campaign for funds opens on Friday, March 1, and continue during the entire month. The Review was informed this week by E. Heybrook of Victoria, vice-chairman of the Victoria and district drive.

Objective for all of Canada this year is an imposing \$6,207,277. Quota of Victoria and district is \$79,500 while the objective of the Saanich Peninsula and Salt Spring Island is \$8,000. This latter figure was exceeded during the 1956 campaign.

Mr. Heybrook announced that the following will head the campaign in the individual districts:

Cordova Bay: Mrs. K. M. Lewis.  
Deep Cove: Miss H. A. Horth.  
Royal Oak: Mrs. A. J. Ingram and Mrs. Bessie M. Swift.  
Saanichton: Andrew Johnstone.  
Ardmore: Brig. P. Earnshaw.  
Brentwood: P. F. Benn.  
James Island: Mrs. James Bond.  
Ganges: Mrs. Ira White.  
Fulford Harbor: Mrs. R. H. Lee.  
Sidney: A. George Rodgers.  
Galiano: Mrs. D. A. New.

### NEED HELPERS

"Of course those in charge of the local divisions will need considerable assistance from helpers in their territories, but from experience we know that response for such assistance is usually spontaneous," said Mr. Heybrook.

As yet The Review has not been advised the names of those directing the campaign on certain Gulf Islands. For many years residents of Galiano have taken special pride in going "over the top" first.

## In and AROUND TOWN

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They were accompanied by Mrs. Ackney's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. N. Mitchell of Trail, B.C.

Miss Jane Leigh, All Bay Road, flew to Indio, California, to visit for two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. E. Ford.

Joyce Ridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Ridge, Wains Cross Road, is a patient in Rest Haven Hospital.

The 19-month-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. K. Cantwell, Third St., is a patient at Rest Haven Hospital.

The Scouts, Cubs, Guides and Brownies will hold their church parade at St. Andrew's Church next Sunday at 11 o'clock. A project for the Guides and Brownies this year is the collection of current magazines which they will distribute to the hospitals. They hope that anyone wishing to help in this effort will leave magazines at Sidney Dry Goods Store or give them to Guides and Brownies.

Ruth Kyle, whose own recital is on CBU at 10.15 this Friday night, will be heard by interested listeners here in Sidney. Mrs. Kyle, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Charlesworth, was one of the eight chosen from 100 voices in Vancouver to be heard on the "Vancouver Singers" program Sunday evening over CBU. She is also heard on the "Eventide" program Thursday evening. Her sister, Mrs. L. Theaker (nee Vera Charlesworth) is well known in the district as a very talented singer and has recently taken over the duties as choir leader at St. Andrew's Anglican Church.

R. Humphries, of Patricia Bay, returned home on Saturday after spending two months in Vancouver, visiting his son and daughter-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Blowey and son, Kenny, of Victoria, spent Sunday afternoon at their summer cottage at Patricia Bay.

Rosa and Joy spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ople, Patricia Bay.

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## Players Plan New Production



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Community Drama Festival entry will be presented by Peninsula Players early in March, when three one-act plays will be staged in the auditorium of North Saanich high school. The plays will be "The Fish", "The Price of Coal" and "The Friends of Valerie Lane".

## World Traveller Is Church Speaker

How spiritual understanding of God can solve problems of daily life, including fear, disease and sin, will be the topic of a free lecture on Christian Science to be given in Victoria on Sunday, Feb. 24, by Georgina Tennant of London, England.

Mrs. Tennant, a member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship, will speak in the Odeon Theatre, 756 Yates St., Victoria, under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist. Her subject will be "Christian Science: The Science of Spiritual Healing", and the lecture is open to the public.

Mrs. Tennant has lived in many parts of the world, including Great Britain, India, Australia and the United States. She has been a Christian Science practitioner since 1938, with her offices in London. From 1947 to 1955 she was Second Reader of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. Her work as a Christian Science lecturer continues her extensive travels throughout the world.

## STUDIO FOR USE OF ARTISTS

A large, well-lighted studio has now been made available to the sketch group of the Saanich Peninsula Art Centre in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Horton, Beacon Ave.

The group meets each Tuesday under the able instruction of Arthur Pitts. Active members at present are Mrs. Rita Morris, Miss Alida Newman, Mrs. Phyllis Levar, Mrs. Doris Horton, Mrs. F. J. Eves, Mrs. Currie, Mrs. R. Gile, Miss Maureen Sealey, Mrs. Win Regan, Michael Morris, M. Peddle and S. Stoddart.

The presentation, on Friday and Saturday, March 8 and 9, will represent the first use of the new auditorium for public entertainment. "The Fish" is the first of the three plays. Produced by Nellie Horth it will see Betty Morey as stage manager. Cast includes familiar personnel with the addition of a number of newcomers. Alec Effa, Herbert Drew and Glen Gray are new to the local stage. Other members of the cast are Joan Henriksen, Alicia Rothery, Eileen Cook and Ken Smith.

The play is a translation from the original French by Yves Cabrol. Typically French in manner, it is brightly costumed and the dialogue is in keeping with its high degree of humor.

## SOLARIUM TEA AT KEATING INSTITUTE

South Saanich Women's Institute will hold a tea in aid of the Queen Alexandra Solarium Fund on Wednesday, Feb. 27 at 2.30 p.m. in the Keating Hall.

There have been two successful evenings spent at the hall this month. On Feb. 9 the hall was packed when the film showing the Caribou and Northern British Columbia was enjoyed.

Then on Wednesday, Feb. 12, the regular fortnightly "500" card party was conducted with seven tables in play. Winners were Mrs. G. E. Heal and C. Mullin. On February 11 a number of members conducted a cleaning bee at the hall.

## Page Boy

William Shanks, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Shanks, Beacon Ave., was among several page boys at the provincial legislature in Victoria. William attends grade 8 at St. Louis College in Victoria.

## BATTLE LINES ARE DRAWN IN TWO FEDERAL RIDINGS

Many residents are anticipating a federal election this spring. While no date has yet been announced by Prime Minister Louis S. St. Laurent, Mondays in either May or June are seen as likely voting days by some political observers. In both Nanaimo and The Islands and in Esquimalt-Saanich constituencies, several candidates are already in the race, including the sitting members, Colin Cameron and Major-General G. R. Pearkes, V.C., respectively. Conservative, C.C.F. and Liberal candidates are now preparing for the ballot battle in each constituency, but at the present time The Review is unaware of Social Credit candidates being fielded in either constituency. Whether this is of any significance, is not known. Following is the lineup at present:

**Nanaimo and Islands**  
W. F. Matthews Conservative  
Colin Cameron C.C.F.  
Frank Wilfert Liberal  
Unannounced Social Credit

**Esquimalt-Saanich**  
Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C.  
Dr. J. M. Thomas  
Alistair Fraser  
Unannounced

## School Contract Is Suspended

Construction of new facilities at Mount Newton high school has been suspended while the contractor concerned has relinquished his responsibilities.

The contractor has made a voluntary assignment in bankruptcy, the board of Saanich School District was told on Monday evening.

The matter was referred to the board's solicitors for advice on the necessary action of the board.

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